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FORTY SOLDIERS RIVERS DONATES \$235 EXPECTED FROM TO MARCH OF DIMES FORT SNELLING

Approximately 40 soldiers have been given seven day furloughs beginning today to visit Rivers to assist their families in making relocation plans according to a teletype received this week from the Minneapolis relocation office.

The soldiers will be given priority assistance in making their relocation plans during their stay in the center.

Incidentally, the Butte W, YM, and YWA have joined forces to sponsor a "Hi Soldier" social next Tuesday night, Feb. 20, at mess hall 43, for the Fort Snelling boys and other visiting servicemen.

The social will be an invitational sports affair and will be in charge of co-chairman Yoko Goto and Fumi Oka.

FARM'S JANUARY HARVEST

The monthly harvest of the Rivers farm was reported by the farm management for the month of January.

Vegetables which have been harvested are 3,648 lbs. of beets, 3,085 lbs. of broccoli, 3,335 lbs. of carrots, 118,798 lbs. of

daikon, 143,888 lbs. of nappa, 2,145 lbs. of shingiku, 23,621 lbs. of spinach, 9,800 lbs. of swiss chard, 8,700 lbs. of takana, and 5,201 lbs. of turnips.

The livestock products during January were: 225 hogs slaughtered, 8,584 doz. eggs produced, 322 head of beef cattle slaughtered, of which 120 head were sent to Poston, and 6,190 gal. of milk produced.

650 acres of vegetables will remain to be used on the project. The rest of the 6,250 acres will be turned into new alfalfa fields (1848 acres) and pasture lands (4402 acres).

The weekly report on shipment of vegetables to other centers was 3 carloads last week, 4 carloads this week and 5 carloads next week, stated Robert Davidson, chief of the farm management.

Leave Score

THIS WEEK:

Indefinites	56
Seasonals	0
Short Terms	26

TOTAL:

Indefinites	4329
Seasonals	16
Short Terms	60

POPULATION: 9232

A total of \$235.02 in dimes and nickels was collected in the March of Dimes here as Rivers contribution to the campaign against infantile paralysis.

The money was collected through the block managers, appointed staff, two President's parties, and from boxes placed in the ad building and other localities.

W R CENTERS

Nisei Casualty Score Hits 486

Casualty totals among Nisei serving in the armed forces of the United States as of January 25, 1945 were 486, announced Robert Cozzens, assistant director.

The total includes only Nisei who entered the armed forces from WRA relocation centers and whose next of kin at the centers have been notified.

Following is the breakdown of the casualties:

Killed	111
Wounded	359
Missing in Action	16
Total	486

The proceeds are being transmitted by campaign chairman Stemon Faust to Mrs. Mary J. Bryan, Florence Junction, Pinal County director.

Fifty per cent of the money collected will be spent in the county; the other half will be sent to the national foundation for research on infantile paralysis.

TULEANS LEAVE FOR INTERNMENT

A special train carrying 650 evacuees left the Tule Lake Segregation Center Sunday, Feb. 11, for an alien enemy internment camp operated by the Department of Justice, reported the San Francisco Chronicle.

Eighteen of the evacuees were Issei and 832 were Nisei who have renounced their citizenship.

The destination of the contingent was not announced. This is third of such groups to be shipped from Tule Lake. In all, 891 evacuees have been transferred from the center to an internment camp.

HAYASHI SISTERS LEAVE FOR UC

Ruth and Jane Hayashi of 5-12-A left Thursday for Berkeley, Calif., where they plan to attend the University of California.

Jane Hayashi was valedictorian of Canal High's class of '44. Prior to her departure Jane was head of the English section of the NEWS-COURIER in Canal.

The two sisters are the first Gilens to leave the center to enter W.C.